

A number from Miss Gordon's room gave an interesting demonstration of Choral Speech. This was followed by two little playlets. 1. Our friends in town who serve us every day comprising: The Traffic Man, On the Farm, The Paper Boy and The Fireman.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

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1948 EASTER THOUGHTS by W. E. Sieber

This Easter Season finds us all bewildered and apprehensive. The joys of this glad Season are alloyed with fear as the dark clouds gather on the international horizon. These clouds have already effectively blocked the dawn of peace. And they are hastening on toward the international meridian where the pent-up fears and mistrust among the nations may precipitate another deluge of blood and death.

U.S. statesmen have warned their people to expect a serious crisis in the very near future. They did not definitely state the nature of that crisis but this is not difficult to guess.

On that first Easter Day way back in Judea there must have been a strong feeling of an impending crisis for the followers of Jesus after they had witnessed the execution of their Master on Calvary. But strange enough, their fear was displaced by faith, hope and joy on that first Easter morn when "Jesus showed himself alive after many infallible proofs."

Somehow, after they had experienced the presence of the Risen Christ they felt the surge of the Master's own spirit within their hearts. Their abject fears of worldly powers gave way to a crusading and ad-enthusiastic spirit which acted as an inner compulsion that sent them forth on their crusade to build a new world in conformity with the teaching of their Master in the Sermon on the Mount.

It would not really well become Christian people who believe in the "God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ" to permit the clouds of fear to overshadow their faith and joy in the goodness and mercies of God. Neither can a Christian — a follower of Jesus —, nor his Church afford to rest in a fatalistic, acquiescent, or helpless attitude so long as there are evils in this world that must be destroyed.

Like the disciples of old who had experienced communion and fellowship with their risen Master, they should be prepared to go and crusade for a kinder and peaceful world. Only this can Easter Day find its richest fruition, and only this can the power of the Risen Christ become effective in the world around us. And there is no other power than this that can eradicate the evils of this world. But only as we approach Easter in a spirit of great expectancy of a new spiritual power within us can God bestow the full measure of his Spirit upon us.

And we do need a new world if we are to have a safe world for our children in the generations to come. The power of Christ's resurrection first gave

birth to the Christian Church and it alone can keep it alive and active along the lines for which God has ordained it. And the most pressing issue of our day is for the creation of world friendship and brotherhood. Nothing less can keep the world free from war, or the fears of war.

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IT'S SPRING

It's Spring! It says so on the calendar. It says so in the seed catalogues that have been arriving for the past few weeks...ever since the groundhog is supposed to have poked his nose out. And it says so in the heartfelt wishes of a lot of people who are tired of the long season of unbroken rigours they have been going through since the turn of the year.

It's spring everywhere but on the ground, where it counts. Some people we've met have spring fever already. Some are contemplating their spring cleaning. And many of the younger generation were weeks ahead of it, and have already passed through the marble stage and are getting ready for the next developments of the season.

So in spite of what it looks like outside your window, it is Spring!

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THE NET WORTH STATEMENT

Farmers generally must have some notion that the March Hare of Alice in Wonderland was a not too distant relation of Mr. Abbott and that the Hare's notion "when I choose to use a word, it means just exactly what I want it to mean, neither more nor less" has been passed on down to Abbott himself.

Farmers throughout the country asked for a "simpler" Income Tax form and they got the Net Worth form and the Inventory form. Mr. Abbott must construe the word "simple" in an unique manner. It is not to be wondered at that the farmers made themselves heard.

Nor is it to be wondered at that they objected to the form in principle, regardless of its detail. It is discriminatory in the extreme. A statement of net worth is required, it is true, of other businesses, but in no case does the proprietor have to file a statement of what he has done with his personal money. Nor do the stockholders in a larger corporation have to declare how their money has been spent. Why should the farmer as an individual have to perform this duty?

It seems unnecessary also to have to have to inflict the Inventory Form. The government knows, in broad measure, the income of the western farmer. All his grain sales are a matter of record... through the elevator companies. All his produce sales, stock or milk, are also open to government agents through the dairies and wholesale houses. They know, in effect, his income.

All that should be necessary is for the farmer to account for his expenses to the satisfaction of the government. The difference is his personal income. All other information and any other forms are unnecessary and calculated to be a nuisance.

In Others' Words

An Editor is never so happy as when he has "scorped" his rivals on some news story of great import. Publishing every second week gives us little chance of presenting our readers with anything startling, except in the way of aluminum applications, but they are newsworthy any time of course. We have therefore decided we must, at least once

during our career, beat even the jolly newspaper to a news beat. We therefore, with great solemnity, announce Spring has arrived. As far as we know, we are the first Canadian publication to make the announcement. We retire gracefully to the wings and await announcement of the Pulitzer prize award winners.

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CONVOY OF HAY

some fourteen miles. However, this fourteen miles took three days, with two days spent in shovelling. Members of the shovelling crew were: Bobby Newell, Sandy Newell, Don Murray, Orvil Farr, Bill Joel, Teddy Joel, Reg Thurston, Jack

miles of travelling. the trip back Meston, Howard Christofferson, Fredy Wagner, Andrew Christofferson, Hoy Voucher, Henry Walls Archie Fredrick, Reg Coles, C. Roscom, Albert Kimmet.

Altogether about eight carloads of hay have come into town, and it is hoped to receive two more this weekend. These two, it is feared, will be the last available.

MR. FARMER, IT'S UP TO YOU NOW!!

This is Your Opportunity To Help Yourself!!

Legislation is before Parliament at Ottawa to extend government monopoly of wheat marketing to include oats and barley. If enacted YOU WILL BE COMPELLED TO SELL YOUR OATS AND BARLEY AS WELL AS YOUR WHEAT TO THE CANADIAN WHEAT BOARD.

However, to make this monopoly effective, it may be necessary that each provincial legislature pass a law permitting this government monopoly.

So this is your opportunity to protest against the extension of the monopoly. You were not given an opportunity to protest against the wheat monopoly. But YOU CAN AND SHOULD make protest now. Those who own the monopoly are working tooth and nail to get control over your grain. You must fight against them with all your might.

IF YOU DON'T PROTEST NOW, and your neighbours, of like mind, don't protest now, you may have only yourself to blame. Provincial Legislatures may fall in line with Parliament and all those dependent upon grain growing for a living will be absolutely in the power of political pressure groups and so-called "farm leaders".

The Winnipeg Grain Exchange has endeavored to show wheat growers what monopoly has cost them. Controlling prices for wheat was a war measure. Nobody questioned about that. But the monopoly was extended to prices times without even asking the consent of wheat growers, who, as a result, have lost hundreds of millions of dollars. They shouldered the burden, instead of it being paid by ALL THE TAX-PAYERS.

If the Government monopoly is extended to oats and barley, another link will be forged in the grain grower's Chain of Longage.

YOU SHOULD LOOK AHEAD

It is the future, not the past, that is now most important to farmers. Think of the dangers that threaten you. No man, and no group of men, is WISE enough or GOOD enough TO BE TRUSTED WITH UNRESTRICTED POWER. "All power tends to corrupt... absolute power corrupts absolutely."

Your wheat is now marketed at POLITICAL PRICES and for POLITICAL PURPOSES. Oats and barley are subject to even more political pressure; and since VOTING POWER RESTS WITH CONSUMERS, there will be a constant political battle between producers and consumers... and PRODUCERS WILL BE THE LOSERS.

The Grain Exchange has done, and is doing all that it can to uphold the farmer's Freedom of Choice in selling his grain. Let those farmers who wish to sell through the Wheat Board do so; but demand the Right to sell your grain when, where and to whom you choose at prevailing market prices.

If you are Opposed to Government Monopoly and Compulsion

ACT QUICKLY BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

Write at once, or, better still, WIRE your Member of Parliament at Ottawa and your Provincial Representative in Regina, Edmonton or Winnipeg. State your strong objection to extending Government monopoly to oats and barley. Tell him you want freedom to choose between selling to the Wheat Board or on the free and open market, whichever is most profitable to you. Get neighbours who agree with your views to do it. The more protests received, the better. This may be your last opportunity to help yourself and keep policies out of your grain, but you must ACT QUICKLY—OTHERWISE YOUR PROTEST WILL BE TOO LATE.

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Nightingale Stock Gets Feed by Convoy

Stock in all districts has been very badly hit by the prolonged period of blocked roads and farmers have been distressed by shortages of feed. A group in the Nightingale area recently organized a full convoy of vehicles to carry supplies through, with a bulldozer to help open the roads.

Most of the organizational work was carried on by Walter Mercer,

who was busy on the telephone and on the road for most of the time. The W.I.D. bulldozer, driven by Johnnie Freeman, headed the column of two tractors, seven hay racks and a series of light delivery vans. Shovels were frequently used in addition to the bulldozer, and the

tractors were continually pulling trucks with spinning wheels.

In many places drifts ten to twelve feet high were shoveled through, to make deliveries at the farms. The trip out involved twenty

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—Courtesy Calgary Herald.



LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Wm. Hieson has as her guest for a few days Mrs. Corbett of Vancouver.

The Red Cross Campaign is under way locally, with Mrs. G. H. Patrick in charge of the drive. The campaign had to be postponed while the roads were so badly blocked, and it was felt that even though conditions are not now all they might be, the drive would have to be conducted.

Mr. George Patrick, of Revelstoke, B.C., was in town early this week for two or three days, visiting his father, G. H. Patrick, and Mrs. Patrick.

Mr. Syd Bower, was seized with a paralytic stroke on Monday, and confined to bed with no visitors. Mr. Bower's condition is reported rather serious, with the paralysis spreading down both sides of his body. His daughter, Mrs. Fred Holmes, was called, and his son Ray, at university was informed at the matter, and arrived home on Wednesday.

The staff of the Royal Bank in Strathmore is suffering from the on slaught of inspectors who arrived early this week. Among them is Cliff Murphy, who was attached to the staff here for a short time early in the war, and prior to his enlisting in the RCAF.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Libin returned from the Coast early this week after an enjoyable month's holiday spent celebrating their twentieth wedding anniversary. Mr. Libin feels he should have stayed longer after looking at conditions of roads here.

Mrs. Essie Baldwin leaves on Sunday night for Edmonton, where she will spend part of her Easter holiday taking the Red Cross swimming course.



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Heckles High in Langdon "500" Series

By G.E.W.

The card game held in the hall on Monday evening, March 15, brings to a conclusion a "500" series sponsored by the W. I. for the last few weeks. Many have enjoyed an evening's pleasure, of a game of cards, winners for the evenings game—Ladies High—Mrs. Negrich; Ladies Low—Norma Warrack; Gents High—Mr. Heckle; Gents Low—Mr. K. Moe.

During the evening Grand Prizes were awarded for the series and the winners were—Ladies High—Mrs. Heckle; Ladies Average—Mrs. W. D. Braden; Gents High—Mr. Heckle; Gents Average—Mr. A. Warrack; Gents Low—Mr. K. Moe.

Lunch was served, of hot dogs, cake and coffee. To catch up with some of the business of the W. I. seven directors met at the home of Mrs. A. M. Watson a short while ago. Mrs. Criley read an interesting letter from a W. I. member in England. During the afternoon, conversation

mingled from snow drifts to baking bread, with everyone reporting a pleasant afternoon. Lunch was served by the hostess.

The Alberta Pacific Elevator is being torn down by a crew of men. This and other news leading to the War. The old rebuild is gradually getting up and will soon be a thing of the past.

A good number of members turned out on Wednesday afternoon, March 17th to the regular meeting of the W. I.

The overseas parcel of soap and one of food, are to be ready for the next meeting. Mrs. A. Warrack was appointed "Convener of Agriculture" and Canadian Industries. Mrs. Negrich brought the quilt, which is ready to set up. Articles for a bazaar were also turned in, the date of which will be announced later. Two contests were played. A Guessing game, "An old Photo of yourself" and a "Quiz Contest" Mrs. Sallie Dean, winner of the first and Mrs. E. D. Wentstrom winner of second.

This being St. Patrick's day, lunch was served from a very attractive table decorated with shamrocks and Irish motifs. An abundance of choice things to eat was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Creely, Mrs. F. Dain, Mr. S. Dain. Roll call was an Easter Thought. Mrs. Ed. Barlow and Mrs. Campbell were visitors for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blin entertained four tables of "500" last week. An enjoyable evening was had by all, and a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses. At the conclusion of cards, High first prizes were won by Mrs. E. Newton and Mr. Ted Albertson. Second prizes going to Mrs. A. Warrack and Mr. Chas. Dumbleton.

Twelve members of the H. & S. met at their regular meeting on Tuesday evening. Seven couples of Langdon and district motored to Calgary last week to see My Wild Irish Rose, later going to the Mandarin for midnight lunch.

A real good time was had by all after being snowed in for so long. The party comprised Mr. and Mrs. Blin, Mr. and Mrs. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Albertson, Mr. and Mrs. Dumbleton, Mr. and Mrs. Warrack, Mr. and Mrs. Brander and Mr. and Mrs. Kernaghan.

On Friday evening the Junior U.F.A. Amateur Contest was held in Chestermore Lake Hall. The cup was won by Indus, making this the 3rd successful year. A number of Langdon entries were unable to attend, however, Allan Warrack, son of 2nd for instructor in Class III and Donna Kernaghan won 1st for instrumental in Class IV.

Services for Mrs. Elsie Victoria Paterson were held in Calgary on Saturday afternoon. Several friends from Langdon attended the service. Mr. Colwell and Mr. L. Blittie were pallbearers from Langdon. Mrs. Paterson lived in Langdon until a

CLUNY NOTES

by Mrs. G.W.B.

Mr. Elmer Thompson of Belleville, Ont., who has been visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Thompson, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fairbairn, who have spent the winter at Brentwood, B.C., have returned. They were accompanied by their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Laing, who have left for their home at Ontario.

Mrs. T. Clark and baby Murray of Edmonton are visiting Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Summerville.

Mrs. Reimche and daughters spent the weekend in Bassano. Misses Hazel Gildson and Helen Beattie of Queenstown spent the weekend in Cluny, they motored over but the wind Saturday night blew the roads in so they had to

few years ago, when she moved to Longview, where she made her home.

Mrs. Hancock and Irene were Calgary visitors for the weekend.

go back by plane.

Mrs. Inman has returned after spending a few days in Edmonton. The W. I. bridge put on as a St. Patrick celebration was a success. Husbands were invited and several attended. The road condition of the past weeks has cut down the attendance considerably.

Mrs. Haymond had a few friends in to tea Monday in honor of Mrs. Fairbairn's home coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beattie and family of Carmangay spent the weekend at the home of Harold's parents.

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Strathmore the second and fourth Tuesday in each month. Carlsland the second Friday in each month. Standard the third Thursday in each month. Rockyford the third Friday in each month.

Easter Monday Dance sponsored by the W. A. of St. Michael's Church, in the Memorial Hall, Strathmore, Monday, March 29. Music by Jack Bremner's orchestra. Admission, Gents 65 cents Ladies 35 cents, Supper 25 cents. 3m25c

The W. A. of Strathmore United Church plans an Easter Tea and Bake Table in the Memorial Room of the Church Saturday, March 27, from 2 to 5 p.m.

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to come and enjoy a pleasant social afternoon. Proceeds in aid of the New Church Organ. 2m25c

A meeting of the Strathmore Golf Club will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, March 31 at 7:30 p.m. It will be decided at this meeting whether or not the Golf Course will be operated this coming season. All interested are urged to attend. 1c

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RURAL GLEICHEN

Grades 7 and 8 and their teacher Mrs. Shiebeck honored Miss Shipley House with a party last weekend and presented her with a leather wallet and some money. Shipley will be leaving for Edmonton with her mother shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sammons and Mrs. B. McKeever entertained at a dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McLeay and Mrs. G. Robinson.

Mrs. H. James, who has been confined to the Bassano hospital for the past month, has returned home much improved in health.

Miss D. Brown R. N., left last week for Regina where she has accepted a position as travelling nurse with the Saskatchewan government.

Mrs. C. R. McIntyre entertained a number of friends at a tea Friday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. M. Leach, who expects to return to California shortly.

Mrs. G. Robinson of Cluny is a guest over the weekend of Mrs. B. McKeever.

The W. A. Meeting of United Church will be held in the Memorial Room Thursday, April 1st, instead of at Mrs. May's home, as previously planned. Drifted snow and watery streets make this change advisable for this time. 1c

Mrs. G. Calkins and 2 children of Rimby visited last week with her sister, Mrs. D. Yule and other relatives.

Friday afternoon Mrs. R. K. Hunter entertained in her home at tea Mrs. T. Robinson, Miss I. Robertson, and Miss E. Robertson who are leaving Gleichen and will make their home in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bollinger and family and Mrs. M. Bollinger went to Calgary Sunday morning by train where they will spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Sammons had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. N. McMillan and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ferguson are returning to Elmhurst, Ont., after visiting relatives in the Gleichen, Bassano and Namaka districts for the past three months.

UNDER THE STREETLAMP

by PAT O'HOLEY

The Tews had dinner guest. All were seated at the table. Not the least important member of the family was "Than," a talkative lad of six years.

"Pa, this is roast beef," observed Alban when the meal was being served.

"So it is!" replied Bill. "What of it?"

"Well, you said at noon you were going to bring an old mutton-head home for dinner."

Quote from Doug Keer: "My hobby is collecting dollar bills. I have a notion they may be worth something some day."

Johnnie: "Every time I kiss you it makes me a better man." Esther: "That's nice, but you don't have to try to get to heaven tonight do you?"

Miss Hutchings (at school clinic): "Are you sure you have never had diphtheria?"

Ray Wicks: "Yes, miss! My sister had it but dad and I were intoxicated."

Frances Gray (at telephone switchboard): "I have your party, sir. Deposit five cents please."

Drunk: "Listen, girlie, what I want ish a conversation with a fren', not finanshal advice from a shtranger."



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Jimmie Wright of Gleichen spent the weekend with Lloyd McBean. Mrs. Ed Ferguson was a Calgary visitor this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ranger returned

ed to Calgary after spending a few days visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Cliff Tower, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Machinter, Larry and Tony were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lila Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson spent Thursday in Calgary.

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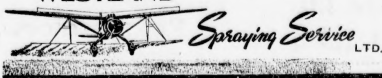
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NIGHTINGALE NOTES

by Mrs. F. H.

Last Friday the Woman's Institute held their first meeting in 6 weeks owing to blocked roads. The roll call was an Easter exchange and current events. Our two delegates to the Lethbridge Conference of March 4 were unable to attend because they were snowed out. This was the first time in many years we have no representative at this conference.

There was a heavy mail and it took considerable time to cover the correspondence. It was decided to send \$15.00 to the fund in aid of European children.

Plans were made for a dance in the hall in April.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Don Douglas April 2nd. It will be a social event in honor of Mrs. Jack Stoodley and Mrs. Don Murray who are both leaving our community.

A paper on Home Economics was held over on account of the very busy afternoon. Mrs. Wm. Joel was hostess for the day and served a delicious tea to twelve members.

Mrs. George Thurston, who came for a night's stay, was snow bound here for ten days. She finally got home after the road was partially opened.

Mrs. Frank Smith and wee son came home last Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Wailes were caught in Calgary during the storm and finally came home by plane. Ted Joel also came back by plane. Don Murray and Orville Fair had a narrow escape during a storm when shovelling at the railroad crossing and the snow pile suddenly appeared. They jumped to safety only in the nick of time.

Some twelve men shovelled out the road to Strathmore only to have it fill up again in the night. The bulldozer opened the road so they could return. They were after bled hay, much needed for stock.

Quite a number from here attended the bull sale. Frank Harriman purchased a Hereford to improve his herd.

A local man wondered, where was his wandering boy on Sunday. It is no mystery, some where on the road shovelling snow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kinney visited last weekend with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fries at Dalemead.

A combined Sunday School and Church Service will be held in the community hall at 11 a.m. on Easter Sunday morning. Everyone is invited.

NAMAKA NOTES

by Mrs. E. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lepp and family accompanied by Mrs. Watts were Calgary Visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thomson have returned from their trip to the U.S.A. and are now visiting in High River and Calgary.

Mrs. J. A. L. McBean arrived home last week from California, where she has been holidaying since the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson motored home on Wednesday after spending the winter months with their daughter, Mrs. H. Espie and family in California.

Mrs. J. Lepp arranged a jolly birthday party on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mary and Jackie's birthdays. Everyone enjoyed the choice refreshments after which the little folks amused themselves by playing games. A grand time was had by all.

Please leave your donations for the Red Cross Appeal at the Post Office.

The Namaka Friendship Club met at the home of Mr. H. Newell on Thursday evening with eleven members in attendance. It was decided to hold birthday parties every four months in honor of the members. A letter was also received from Miss Norma Hogg who will visit the club during the summer. The roll call for the evening was My Favorite Hobby. At the close of the business meeting the hostess was assisted by Mrs. H. Stettner. Mrs. E. Buker and Mrs. A. Thomson in serving a very choice lunch. The April meeting will be held at Mrs. A. Thomson's home.

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Farmers Tax Meet

Incorporated in some branch of the school studies of children, in order that they would be familiar with it on growing up.

The idea was mentioned of a group of farmers hiring an accountant to keep up their books, and Mr. Hopkins outlined the proposition taking shape along these lines in Calgary now.

In answer to a question he pointed out that the Income Tax Department is now ready to go ahead with the basic herd idea, on a revolving basis. This has only been true of the last week or ten days, and he suggested farmers interested might start moving on it.

AUCTION SALE

Having received instructions from the Executors of the ESTATE of the Late Mr. P. F. KONKIN (Deceased), of Carlsland, I will sell by Public Auction at the farm, 5 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CARLSLAND, ALTA., 2 MILES EAST OF THE BOW RIVER BRIDGE, ON

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Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Backs arrived last Friday evening in Strathmore, after a couple of days visit in Brooks with their daughter, Mrs. Martin Vossler. After a short visit with their daughter, Jean, they left for home at Bottrell, Alberta. Mr. Backs has just arrived back from a visit to Holland, his homeland, which he had not seen in some thirty years. Conditions have changed vastly. Mr. Backs reports, and living is pretty skimpy today, even for those fortunate enough to be able to get all the supplies they are allowed. Coal supplies, to cite one instance, are sufficient only to keep one fire in a house, so other rooms are shut off to conserve the heat, and even under this arrangement, it is generally hard to keep the temperature up in the room heated.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Tighem drove out to Strathmore on Monday night, where Jack was speaker at the Home and School meeting. Both were welcomed by many friends.

W. I. MacKenzie, George Freeman and Chuck MacLean drove into Calgary on Sunday, where they took army examination in qualifications for LAA artillery.

Stores Close Monday

No definite arrangements have been made with regard to the Easter Monday as a holiday in town, and some stores will remain open, while others intend to close it is learned.

The Post Office will be open for a short time in the morning only, though the lobby is open until six. Three garages intend to close, apparently, as do at least one hardware store and one grocery store. Implement stores also will be on the closed list.

It was the feeling of merchants that had roads been open and weather better there might have been some point in staying open, but as it is, they feel the holiday will be better.

Mrs. D. A. Ford and small son, Thomas Stephen, arrived home from the Hospital, both feeling very fit.

All Strathmore will be sorry to learn of a severe stroke suffered by Mr. Bower Tuesday morning.

Members of the St. Young People's group gathered at the home of Chuck MacLean last Saturday evening, when contests, bridge and whist passed the evening quickly.

CARSELAND NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Leo McKinnon of Winnipeg spent a few days in Carlsland visiting with his sister Mrs. M. Hansen, before proceeding on to Vancouver.

Mrs. J. E. Brown is visiting friends and relatives at Portland, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Neergard of Calgary spent the weekend in Carlsland visiting at the homes of Mrs. A. Lennox and Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

A meeting of the Carlsland Students Union was held on Friday, March 19th. The students decided to have their dance on the 16th of April, weather permitting.

The whooping cough is knocking down the attendance at Carlsland school, accompanied with severe blizzards of the past months.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Wood Downey to Carlsland, successors to Mr. and Mrs. Virg Chambers who have left to go on the gravel haul with Standard gravel this spring. The community wishes both families lots of luck in their new locations. Miss Jean Macfarish spent the weekend with friends at Gleichen.

Miss Ivy Sanders was a weekend visitor with her parents and brother at Calgary.

The W. A. was held at the parsonage on March 17. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. N. Mutch and Mrs. Ken Hillard.

The April 21 meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Slemenc.

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M. B. Garrett, Secretary-Treasurer.

NOTICE
Citizens of Strathmore requiring Town lots for gardens this season are requested to forward their applications to the secretary without delay.

M. B. Garrett, Secretary-Treasurer.

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